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1. A VP school is said to be in Schloss Kirchhain (N 52/A 05). A VP advance detail under the command of a police lieutenant colonel has been in the castle since 9 March 1950.

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3. A VP Kommissar school with 60 to 80 trainees was in Brunnenal about 500 meters east of the Krad-schuetzen Kaserne, Bad Freienwalde (N 53/V 28). Police car [redacted] was seen there on 16 March 1950.
4. The buildings of the former Dynamit AG and Spreng-chemie, Pinnow (N 54/Q 21), were being converted into police barracks.
5. The Ludwigslust (M 54/T 53) county police numbered about 1,000 on 13 March 1950. A hundred police were stationed at the Soviet komendatura building. Police car [redacted] was identified in the streets of Ludwigslust.
6. Three four-story buildings were being constructed near the Schwerin-Sternbuchholz (M 54/T 46) rail-road station, south of the railroad line, on 14 March 1950. The buildings were allegedly to be quarters for VP personnel. Police car [redacted] stopped at the railroad gate.

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7. The barracks (three four-story buildings) on the southern end of Guestrowerstrasse, Schwerin, were allegedly occupied by VP units.
8. A VP rest center was in Zippendorf (M 54/T 46). A Kommissar from the rest center was seen in police car [] on 15 March 1950.
9. Police cars [] and police truck [] were identified in front of the police headquarters on Am Pfaffenteich, Schwerin, on 15 March 1950.
10. VP units were recently issued radio sets.

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